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Summary Information

Repository	Rare Books and Manuscripts
Title	Mildred Allen oral history
Date	1987 June 15
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Biographical Note

Mildred Allen was born in Indianapolis, Indiana on February 8, 1910. Allen taught hundreds of children in the Irvington neighborhood to play the piano. She came to Irvington as a young child. Allen conducted choral groups and the band and orchestra while a student at Arsenal Tech High School. She began playing for Irvington clubs, at revivals for her minister father, at receptions, recitals and weddings. She was one of the founders of the Irvington Music Study Club in 1941 and became its president in 1944. She died February 14, 1999 in Indianapolis.

Scope and Contents

This collection contains a transcript of an interview with Mildred Allen, done by Janice Paul. Allen talks about her life and work as a piano teacher in the Irvington area. She also discusses her family history and how her father reinvigorated several churches in the area.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged chronologically.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Accruals

No further additions are expected.

Processing Information

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Controlled Access Headings

Genre(s)

- Oral history interview

Geographic Name(s)

- Irvington (Ind.)

Personal Name(s)

- Allen, Mildred

Subject(s)

- Family history
- Family life